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ABSTRACT

The 33 tests in this bibliography cover United States History from the period of exploration of the continent through the Civil War to Post World War II. One test measures knowledge of African American history. Types of measures include credit by examination, item banks, and end-of-course tests. All ages are represented but the majority of tests target grade 7 and above. Populations tested include: teachers, high school students, college students and adult students at the high school level. Some achievement batteries include social studies subtests that contain U.S. history questions. This document is one in a series of topical bibliographies from The Test Collection (TC) at the Educational Testing Service (ETS) containing descriptions of more than 18,000 tests and other measurement devices prepared by commercial publishers, teachers, educational institutions, professional associations, departments of education, counselors, etc. Each description contains the following basic information: TC Accession Number (a six-digit identification number assigned by the Test Collection); the title of the instrument; personal or institutional author; year of publication or copyright; availability source; grade level for which test is suitable; age level for which test is suitable; and abstract. Other information, which is provided when known, includes subtests, number of test items, and time required to complete the test. Information on accessing the Test Collection via Internet concludes the document. (HAC)

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INTRODUCTION

Scope of Bibliography

Tests on this list cover United States History from the period of exploration through the Civil War to the "present" (essentially the post World War II period). One test measures knowledge of Afro-American history. Types of measures include credit by examination, item banks, end-of-course tests. Populations tested include: teachers, high school students, college students and adult students at the high school level. Some achievement batteries include social studies subtests that may contain questions on U.S. History. Separate lists of achievement tests are available.

Availability

Copies of the tests described on the following pages must be obtained directly from the publisher, as stated in the AV AVAILABILITY section of each test citation. Generally, the Test Collection does not have distribution rights for its holdings. However, in special instances, the Test Collection has been granted permission from individual authors to distribute their tests, which are primarily research instruments. The AV AVAILABILITY information for these instruments will be Tests in Microfiche, Test Collection, Educational Testing Service, Princeton, NJ 08541.

Guide to Citation Elements

The following is a guide to the various elements which may be present in a test citation:

AN - Six-digit identification number assigned by the Test Collection

TI - Name of the instrument

DT - Components within the overall test which assess particular skills or factors

AU - Personal or institutional author

YR - Year test was published or copyrighted

- AV - Test publisher or distributor; the organization which sells or distributes the instrument
- GL - List of grades for which test is suitable
- TG - List of ages for which test is suitable
- AB - A description of the test and its purpose

AN ACCESSION NUMBER: TC016207 ETS 8908.
 TI TITLE: English and Citizenship Test.
 AU INSTITUTIONAL AUTHOR: Legalization Assistance Board, Washington, DC.
 YR YEAR: 89.
 AV AVAILABILITY: Educational Testing Service; Suite 475; 1825 Eye Street N.W., Washington, DC 20006.
 TG TARGET AUDIENCE: Adults.
 NT NOTES:
 TIME: 30.
 ITEMS: 20.
 AB ABSTRACT: This standardized examination may be selected instead of an oral examination given at the mandatory Immigration and Naturalization Service interview. A passing grade on the examination eliminates questioning about the knowledge of history or English at the interview. A passing grade consists of correct responses to 12 out of the 20 questions. The exam may be taken twice at one sitting and the passing grade then consists of 20 correct responses out of 40 questions. The examination can be taken by persons seeking permanent residence or U.S. citizenship. It was designed by Educational Testing Service with the Legalization Assistance Board and approved by the Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS). Exam questions are taken from federal textbooks on citizenship and cover such topics as discovery and settlement of the U.S., the Revolutionary War and Independence, state and local government. A sentence is also read to the examinee, in English, which must then be written or printed. Testing is done at local public service agencies. Nearby locations can be found by calling a toll-free number sponsored by the National Association of Latino Elected and Appointed Officials (NALEO). The national number is 1-800-446-2536 and the number to call in California is 1-800-346-2536. A guide to the exam featuring sample questions is available from NALEO.

AN ACCESSION NUMBER: TC015554 ETS 8807.
 TI TITLE: EDS GED Series: Social Studies.
 AU AUTHOR: Henney-R-Lee.
 YR YEAR: 84.
 AV AVAILABILITY: Educational Diagnostic Services; P.O. Box 347; Valparaiso, IN 46383.
 TG TARGET AUDIENCE: Adults.
 NT NOTES:
 ITEMS: 480.
 AB ABSTRACT: These tests are part of a course of study taken by adult students who are preparing to take the General Educational Development Tests (GED) in order to qualify for a high school equivalency certificate or diploma. Each of the power tests is to be used following completion of designated lessons in the student textbook. The tests are divided into developmental sections and GED-type questions. Lessons and tests cover studying history,

ancient history, medieval history, modern history, United States history, and government of the United States. Each test should be completed in 50 minutes or less; otherwise appropriate sections should be restudied and the tests readministered.

AN ACCESSION NUMBER: TC015480 ETS 8807.
 TI TITLE: High School Subject Tests: American History, Form B.
 AU AUTHOR: Wick-John-W; Gatta-Louis-A.
 YR YEAR: 88.
 AV AVAILABILITY: American Testronics; P.O. Box 2270; Iowa City, IA 52244-9990.
 GL GRADE LEVEL: 9; 10; 11; 12.
 NT NOTES:
 TIME: 40; Approx.
 ITEMS: 50.
 AB ABSTRACT: Two equivalent forms A and B allow pre- and posttest analyses of individuals, classes, or specific groups for grades 9 through 12. Tests are both norm-referenced and criterion-referenced. Can be used as an end-of-course assessment to measure students' knowledge of American History or as pre-assessments to measure students' knowledge prior to formal course of study of American History.

AN ACCESSION NUMBER: TC015050 ETS 8710.
 TI TITLE: End-of-Course Tests: American History.
 AU INSTITUTIONAL AUTHOR: Educational Testing Service, Princeton, NJ.
 YR YEAR: 86.
 AV AVAILABILITY: CTB/McGraw Hill; 2500 Garden Road, Monterey, CA 93940.
 GL GRADE LEVEL: 7; 8; 9; 10; 11; 12.
 NT NOTES:
 TIME: 45.
 ITEMS: 50.
 AB ABSTRACT: Designed to measure the subject matter taught in certain junior and senior high school courses. Tests can be used to supplement or substitute for basic skills achievement testing at these levels. There are nine different end-of-course tests, one in each of the following areas: algebra, geometry, physics, chemistry, biology, world history, American history, computer literacy, and consumer economics. Tests represent the most commonly taught curricula in a one-year course in each of these subject areas. Normative data were derived from national reference groups who had completed a course in the content area. The American history test focuses on the cultural and economic forces that influenced the development of the United States. Also included are political events and the role of United States foreign policy.

AN ACCESSION NUMBER: TC015047 ETS 8710.
 TI TITLE: End-of-Course Tests: World History.
 AU INSTITUTIONAL AUTHOR: Educational Testing Service, Princeton, NJ.
 YR YEAR: 86.
 AV AVAILABILITY: CTB/McGraw Hill; 2500 Garden Road, Monterey, CA 93940.
 GL GRADE LEVEL: 7; 8; 9; 10; 11; 12.
 NT NOTES:
 TIME: 45.
 ITEMS: 50.
 AB ABSTRACT: Designed to measure the subject matter taught in certain junior and senior high school courses. Tests can be used to supplement or substitute for basic skills achievement testing at these levels. There are nine different end-of-course tests, one in each of the following areas: algebra, geometry, physics, chemistry, biology, world history, American history, computer literacy, and consumer economics. Tests represent the most commonly taught curricula in a one-year course in each of these subject areas. Normative data were derived from national reference groups who had completed a course in the content area. The world history test measures the understanding and knowledge of the events, individuals, and political and religious ideas that formed Western, Asian, and African civilizations. Historical and political changes and trends of the twentieth century are also explored.

AN ACCESSION NUMBER: TC015007 ETS 8710.
 TI TITLE: American History Map Test Folio.
 YR YEAR: 70.
 AV AVAILABILITY: Perfection Forum Company; 8350 Hickman Road, Suite 15; Des Moines, IA 50322.
 GL GRADE LEVEL: 4; 5; 6; 7; 8; 9; 10; 11; 12.
 NT NOTES:
 ITEMS: 21.
 AB ABSTRACT: A collection of American History map tests covering the time period of pre-colonization through the Korean War. Each map test has a slightly different format, but generally, the student is requested to label or locate places or events.

AN ACCESSION NUMBER: TC014793 ETS 8609.

TI TITLE: Multiple Assessment Programs and Services of the College Board.

DT SUBTESTS: English; Mathematics; Reading; Written English Expression; Computation; Applied Arithmetic; Elementary Algebra; Intermediate Algebra; Test of Standard Written English; Scholastic Aptitude Test; American History and Social Studies; Biology; Chemistry; English Composition; French Reading; German Reading; Mathematics Level 1; Physics; Spanish Reading; European History and World Cultures; French Listening-Reading; Literature; Mathematics Level 2; German Listening Comprehension; German Listening-Reading; Spanish Listening Comprehension; Spanish Listening Reading; Hebrew; Greek.

AU INSTITUTIONAL AUTHOR: Educational Testing Service, Princeton, NJ.

AV AVAILABILITY: Multiple Assessment and Program Services of the College Board; CN6725; Princeton, NJ 08541-6725.

GL GRADE LEVEL: Higher Education.

AB ABSTRACT: This series of tests is for use by colleges, for admissions, placement of students, remedial or developmental studies, exemption, guidance and counseling. Some of the tests are drawn from the national Admissions Testing Program, including the Test of Standard Written English, Scholastic Aptitude Test and Achievement Tests. Some are self-scoring (English, Mathematics). The tests are in three levels of difficulty: somewhat less difficult than typical entry-level tests; standardized four-year college entry level; advanced preparation for college work.

AN ACCESSION NUMBER: TC014591 ETS 8609.

TI TITLE: American History Tests: Junior High Series, Revised.

AU INSTITUTIONAL AUTHOR: Perfection Form Co., Logan, IA.

YR YEAR: 70.

AV AVAILABILITY: Perfection Form Company; 1000 North Second Avenue, Logan, IA 51546.

GL GRADE LEVEL: 7; 8; 9.

NT NOTES:

ITEMS: 75.

AB ABSTRACT: A series of United States history tests, covering the period from exploration and colonization to post World War II. These are objective tests and use true-false, multiple choice, and matching items. Besides the area tests, two semester tests and a final exam are included. The area tests cover: exploration and colonization, revolutionary America, founding of government, development of democracy, westward expansion, division and reunion, America as a World Power, modern America, post-World War II.

AN ACCESSION NUMBER: TC014576 ETS 8605.

TI TITLE: American History Tests, Revised, Senior High.

AU INSTITUTIONAL AUTHOR: Perfection Form Co., Logan, IA.

AV AVAILABILITY: Perfection Form Company; 1000 North Second Avenue,

Logan, IA 51546.

GL GRADE LEVEL: 9; 10; 11; 12.

AB ABSTRACT: A series of American history tests covering 13 topics plus two semester tests and a final examination. The topics include America's heritage, background of the Revolution, U.S. Constitution, Washington's administration, the age of Jackson, expansion, war, and reconstruction, emergence of modern America, U.S. becomes a world power, prosperity and depression, the U.S. and world leadership.

AN ACCESSION NUMBER: TC014061 ETS 8512.
 TI TITLE: Multi-Digit Test.
 AU AUTHOR: Anderson-Paul-S; Kanzler-Eileen-M.
 YR YEAR: 83.
 AV AVAILABILITY: Dr. Paul S. Anderson; Department of
 Geography-Geology, Illinois State University, Normal, IL 61761.
 GL GRADE LEVEL: Higher Education.
 AB ABSTRACT: A testing procedure using responses in a list of up to
 one thousand alphabetized potential answers. Each response has a
 three-digit code that the student marks on a machine-scored answer
 sheet. It is suggested that thought processes similar to those
 required by cloze procedure (fill-in) are used, while the advantage
 of machine scoring is retained. As of this writing, sample items
 are available in United States history and geography. An
 IBM-compatible program for microcomputer is available for list
 generation.

AN ACCESSION NUMBER: TC013280 ETS 8512.
 TI TITLE: DANTES: History of Western Civilization Since 1500.
 DT SUBTESTS: The Renaissance and The Reformation; Age of Divine
 Right; Age of the Enlightenment; Age of the Revolutions; Changing
 Europe; World War I and Its Aftermath; World War II and Its
 Aftermath.
 AU INSTITUTIONAL AUTHOR: Educational Testing Service, Princeton, N.J.
 AV AVAILABILITY: Educational Testing Service; Mail Stop 17 P,
 Princeton, NJ 08540.
 TG TARGET AUDIENCE: Adults.
 NT NOTES:
 TIME: 90; approx.
 ITEMS: 92.
 AB ABSTRACT: The DANTES program is a series of secured tests
 administered by postsecondary institutions to grant credit by
 examination for education gained outside the classroom.
 Examinations may be worth from two to six credit hours in a
 baccalaureate program, baccalaureate upper division program, or a
 technical program. A minimum score for credit has been established
 by the American Council on Education. Individual institutions
 administer examinations, as well as set the fees and schedules.
 These instruments complement the College Board's College Level
 Examination Program (CLEP) with several instruments in applied
 technology. They were originally developed for military personnel.
 Major areas of assessment include mathematics, social science,
 physical science, business, foreign language, and applied technology.
 For each test a fact sheet containing the curriculum specifications
 of the course, a list of texts on which the test is based and
 statistical information are available. Qualified administrators and
 faculty may borrow sample tests for a period of thirty days. This
 instrument is one of a series assessing knowledge in college level

social science. Knowledge of history from the Renaissance to the present is measured. Forms SC and SD are available. ACE recommends three semester hours at the baccalaureate level be awarded to successful examinees.

AN ACCESSION NUMBER: TC013173 ETS 8512.
 TI TITLE: Black History Test: A Test to Create Awareness and Arouse Interest.
 AU AUTHOR: Coffin-Gregory-C; And Others.
 YR YEAR: 74.
 AV AVAILABILITY: Tests in Microfiche, Test Collection; Educational Testing Service, Princeton, NJ 08541.
 GL GRADE LEVEL: 7; 8; 9; 10; 11; 12; Higher Education.
 TG TARGET AUDIENCE: Adults.
 NT NOTES:
 TIME: 40; approx.
 ITEMS: 100.
 AB ABSTRACT: Designed to measure knowledge of Black Americans' contributions to the United States and to create an awareness of the contributions of Blacks in the Development of the United States. Test covers the period from slavery to recent times.

AN ACCESSION NUMBER: TC013172 ETS 8512.
 TI TITLE: Multiethnic Awareness Survey.
 AU AUTHOR: Coffin-Gregory-C; And Others.
 YR YEAR: 77.
 AV AVAILABILITY: Tests in Microfiche, Test Collection; Educational Testing Service, Princeton, NJ 08541.
 GL GRADE LEVEL: 7; 8; 9; 10; 11; 12; Higher Education.
 TG TARGET AUDIENCE: Adults.
 NT NOTES:
 TIME: 40; approx.
 ITEMS: 100.
 AB ABSTRACT: Measures factual knowledge about the contributions of minorities to the past and present growth of the United States and aims to create an awareness of these contributions. Items reflect awareness of deeds of Black, Irish, Italian, Jewish, Asian, Latin, and Native Americans.

AN ACCESSION NUMBER: TC012857 ETS 8512.
 TI TITLE: Selected Test Items in American History.
 DT SUBTESTS: Exploration and Discovery; Colonial Settlement and Life; The Revolution and Constitution; The Early National Period; Westward Movement; Social Economic, and Cultural Development; Sectionalism; Civil War and Reconstruction; Passing of the Frontier; The Political Scene; Rise of Big Business; The Progressive Era; World War I and Postwar Adjustments; The Great Depression; World War II and After; and Chronology..

AU AUTHOR: Anderson-Howard-R; Lindquist-E-F.

YR YEAR: 64.

AV AVAILABILITY: ERIC Document Reproduction Service; 3900 Wheeler Avenue, Alexandria, VA 22304 (ED 118 496; 131 pages).

GL GRADE LEVEL: 9; 10; 11; 12.

NT NOTES:

ITEMS: 1062.

AB ABSTRACT: These test items are designed for high school students and comprise an extensive file of multiple-choice questions in American history. Taken largely from the Iowa Every-Pupil Program and the Cooperative Test Service Standardized Examinations, the questions are chronologically divided into 16 topic areas. These items are from Bulletin Number 6, Fifth Edition and also available from the National Council for the Social Studies, 1200 17th Street, N.W., Suite 404, Washington, D.C. 20036.

AN ACCESSION NUMBER: TC012355 ETS 8512.

TI TITLE: Multiple-Choice Cloze Exercises: Textual Domain, Social Studies, Revised 1977.

DT SUBTESTS: History; Geography; Cultural Studies; Sociology/Civics; Economics; Psychology.

AU INSTITUTIONAL AUTHOR: New York State Education Dept., Albany. Div. of Research.

YR YEAR: 77.

AV AVAILABILITY: ERIC Document Reproduction Service; 3900 Wheeler Avenue, Alexandria, VA 22304 (ED 226 031; 282 pages).

GL GRADE LEVEL: 1; 2; 3; 4; 5; 6; 7; 8; 9; 10; 11; 12.

NT NOTES:

ITEMS: 260.

AB ABSTRACT: The "Test Development Notebook" is a resource designed for the preparation of tests of literal comprehension of students in grades 1 through 12. There are a total of 1725 multiple choice closure exercises in the collection. The exercises have a common multiple choice cloze format; they use passages from domains or types of materials that students read, and the passages are graded by difficulty level. The Multiple Choice Cloze Exercises: Handbook is available from ERIC Document Reproduction Service; P.O. Box 190, Arlington, VA 22210 (ED 226 028). This instrument contains 260 items taken from social studies textbooks at 27 levels of difficulty from grades 1-12.

AN ACCESSION NUMBER: TC011856 ETS 8410.
 TI TITLE: NTE Specialty Area Tests: Social Studies.
 AU INSTITUTIONAL AUTHOR: Educational Testing Service, Princeton, N.J.
 YR YEAR: 82.
 AV AVAILABILITY: NTE Programs, Educational Testing Service; Box 911 P, Princeton, NJ 08541.
 GL GRADE LEVEL: Higher Education.
 NT NOTES:
 TIME: 120.
 AB ABSTRACT: Part of a standardized, secure measure of academic achievement for college students in, or completing, teacher education programs. Used by associations, school systems, state agencies, and institutions, for decisions about the certification and selection of teachers. One of 27 tests measuring understanding of the content and methods applicable to teaching in subject areas. This test covers: conceptual approaches to social studies, political science, economics, history, geography and sociology/anthropology.

AN ACCESSION NUMBER: TC011676 ETS 8410.
 TI TITLE: College Proficiency Examination Program.
 AU INSTITUTIONAL AUTHOR: New York State Education Dept. Albany. Cultural Education Center.
 YR YEAR: 63.
 AV AVAILABILITY: College Proficiency Examination Program; State Education Department, Cultural Education Center, Albany, NY 12230.
 TG TARGET AUDIENCE: Adults.
 NT NOTES:
 TIME: 180.
 AB ABSTRACT: A program which provides college credit by examination to residents of the state of New York for knowledge obtained through independent study or on-the-job training. There are 20 proficiency examinations. Many of these examinations are also available to those living outside the state of New York, (See ACT Proficiency Examination Program (TC008121-126, 008130-145, 008149-167 and 011277-281)). Areas covered by the examinations are: Afro-American History, American History, Anatomy and Physiology, Applied Music, College Composition, Earth Science, Freshman English, Shakespeare, Criminal Justice, Education, Nursing, Typewriting. Testing times vary from 1 - 20 hours but most are three-hour exams.

AN ACCESSION NUMBER: TC011638 ETS 8410.
 TI TITLE: New York State Statewide Achievement Examination.
 AU INSTITUTIONAL AUTHOR: New York state Education Dept., Albany. Bureau of Elementary and Secondary Educational Testing.
 AV AVAILABILITY: New York State Education Department; Bureau of Elementary and Secondary Testing, University of the State of New York, Albany, NY 12234.
 GL GRADE LEVEL: 11; 12.
 NT NOTES:

- ITEMS: 60.
- AB ABSTRACT: Used by school districts in New York State that have developed Their own adaptations of the American history curriculum, for achievement testing.
- AN ACCESSION NUMBER: TC011443 ETS 8410.
- TI TITLE: EDS Diagnostic Skill Level Inventory For Social Studies.
- DT SUBTESTS: Introduction; U.S. History; Government; Economics; Geography; Behavioral Sciences.
- AU AUTHOR: Henney-R-Lee.
- YR YEAR: 75.
- AV AVAILABILITY: Educational Diagnostic Services; P.O. Box 347; Valparaiso, IN 46383.
- TG TARGET AUDIENCE: Adults.
- NT NOTES:
- TIME: 60.
- ITEMS: 60.
- AB ABSTRACT: Developed to diagnose the strengths and weaknesses of adult students at the high school level. Each inventory allows diagnosis of functional weaknesses within that academic discipline in order to concentrate on specific problems between the 9 to 12 equivalent grade levels. Can be used for predictive assessments for passing the new General Educational Development Tests (GED).
- AN ACCESSION NUMBER: TC011414 ETS 8410.
- TI TITLE: College-Level Examination Program: Subject Examination in American History II: 1865 to the Present.
- AU INSTITUTIONAL AUTHOR: Educational Testing Service, Princeton, N.J.
- YR YEAR: 81.
- AV AVAILABILITY: College Level Examination Program; Princeton, NJ 08541.
- GL GRADE LEVEL: Higher Education.
- TG TARGET AUDIENCE: ADULTS.
- NT NOTES:
- TIME: 90.
- ITEMS: 120.
- AB ABSTRACT: CLEP enables both traditional and nontraditional students to earn college credit by examination. Tests are updated periodically. Covers period in American history from the end of the Civil War to the present. Major emphasis is on the period from 1915 to the present. An optional ninety minute essay section measures ability to select material and present it in an organized and logical manner.
- AN ACCESSION NUMBER: TC011413 ETS 8410.
- TI TITLE: College Level Examination Program: Subject Examination in American History: Early Colonizations to 1877.
- AU INSTITUTIONAL AUTHOR: Educational Testing Service, Princeton, N.J.
- YR YEAR: 81.

AV AVAILABILITY: College Level Examination Program; Princeton, NJ 08541.

TG TARGET AUDIENCE: ADULTS.

NT NOTES:

TIME: 90.

ITEMS: 120.

AB ABSTRACT: CLEP enables both traditional and nontraditional students to earn college credit by examination. Tests are updated periodically. Covers period in American history from Spanish and French colonizations to the end of Reconstruction era. Major emphasis on period from 1790-1877. An optional ninety minute essay section measures ability to select material and present it in an organized and logical manner.

AN ACCESSION NUMBER: TC009911 ETS 8410.

TI TITLE: Criterion-Referenced Test: MGS/CRTes Eastern Navajo Agency, Level J.

DT SUBTESTS: Language Arts; Mathematics; Science; Social Studies.

AU AUTHOR: Dougherty-Don; And Others.

YR YEAR: 78.

AV AVAILABILITY: Tests in Microfiche; Test Collection, Educational Testing Service, Princeton, NJ 08541.

GL GRADE LEVEL: 8.

NT NOTES:

ITEMS: 49.

AB ABSTRACT: Developed for use in instructional planning, diagnosis and remediation, this series covers grades K-8 and is designed to measure Navajo student progress in the achievement of minimum grade standards (MGS) in basic skills. Level J covers: language arts, skimming, vocabulary, literary forms, comprehension, analysis, writing letters, job applications; mathematics, operations, geometry, operations with fractions, decimals, percent, metrics, problems; science, chemistry, machines, electricity, weather, pollution, first aid; social studies, tribal history and services, government, consumer education. This test is untimed.

AN ACCESSION NUMBER: TC009910 ETS 8410.

TI TITLE: Criterion-Referenced Test: MGS/CRTes Eastern Navajo Agency, Level I.

DT SUBTESTS: Language Arts; Mathematics; Science; Social Studies.

AU AUTHOR: Dougherty-Don; And Others.

YR YEAR: 78.

AV AVAILABILITY: Tests in Microfiche; Test Collection, Educational Testing Service, Princeton, NJ 08541.

GL GRADE LEVEL: 7.

NT NOTES:

ITEMS: 45.

AB ABSTRACT: Developed for use in instructional planning, diagnosis and remediation, this series covers grades K-8 and is designed to measure Navajo student progress in the achievement of minimum grade

standards (MGS) in basic skills. Level I covers: language arts, vocabulary skills, parts of speech, comprehension, punctuation, directions, reference skills, business forms; mathematics, operations, geometry, operations with fractions, problems; science, animals, insects, plants, body systems, chemistry, space, physical forces; social studies, people, Navajo history, local geography, and economics. This test is untimed.

- AN ACCESSION NUMBER: TC009908 ETS 410.
 TI TITLE: Criterion-Referenced Test: MGS/CRTTest Eastern Navajo Agency, Level G.
 DT SUBTESTS: Language Arts; Mathematics; Science; Social Studies; Health.
 AU AUTHOR: Dougherty-Don; And Others.
 YR YEAR: 78.
 AV AVAILABILITY: Tests in Microfiche; Test Collection, Educational Testing Service, Princeton, NJ 08541.
 GL GRADE LEVEL: 5.
 NT NOTES:
 ITEMS: 48.
 AB ABSTRACT: Developed for use in instructional planning, diagnosis and remediation, this series covers grades K-8 and is designed to measure Navajo student progress in the achievement of minimum grade standards (MGS) in basic skills. Level G covers: language arts, synonyms, etc., affixes, reference skills, reading comprehension, sentences, mechanics, usage; mathematics, operations, time, shapes, measures, fractions, money, problems; science, animals, seasons, oxygen/carbon dioxide, oceans, minerals, friction, stars/planets; social studies, peoples, Navajo history, geography, topography; health, body systems, senses, exercises. This test is untimed.
- AN ACCESSION NUMBER: TC008580 ETS 8410.
 TI TITLE: College-Level Examination Program: Subject Examination in Introductory Business Law.
 AU INSTITUTIONAL AUTHOR: Educational Testing Service, Princeton, N.J.
 YR YEAR: 81.
 AV AVAILABILITY: College Level Examination Program; Princeton, NJ 08541.
 GL GRADE LEVEL: Higher Education.
 TG TARGET AUDIENCE: ADULTS.
 NT NOTES:
 TIME: 90.
 ITEMS: 100.
 AB ABSTRACT: CLEP enables both traditional and nontraditional students to earn college credit by examination. Tests are updated periodically. An optional essay section requires knowledge similar to that needed for multiple choice sections. It contains five questions to be completed in ninety minutes which are based on case

materials or require discussion of important concepts in business law. Six major content areas include history and sources of American law, American legal systems and procedures, agency and employment, sales and miscellaneous.

AN ACCESSION NUMBER: TC003710 ETS 8410.
 TI TITLE: Graduate Record Examinations: Subject Tests--History.
 DT SUBTESTS: European History; American History.
 AU INSTITUTIONAL AUTHOR: Educational Testing Service, Princeton, N.J.
 YR YEAR: 82.
 AV AVAILABILITY: GRE Program; Educational Testing Service, Princeton, NJ 08541.
 GL GRADE LEVEL: Higher Education.
 NT NOTES:
 TIME: 170.
 ITEMS: 190.
 AB ABSTRACT: Designed to measure knowledge and understanding of U.S. and European history basic to graduate study; designed to be a power rather than speed test. For reasons of fairness, several editions are available each year. Large print answer sheets are available though the test itself is in regular sized print. In developing each new edition, special effort is made to survey the entire academic fields and to include materials from widely differing curricula. Used for selection of applicants for graduate school, selection of fellowship applicants, guidance and counseling, evaluation of the effectiveness of an undergraduate or master's program, requirement for conferral of a degree, senior comprehensive examination at the undergraduate level, and comprehensive examination for advancement to a master's or doctoral program. Known as Cooperative Graduate Testing Program until 1940.

AN ACCESSION NUMBER: TC003293 ETS 8410.
 TI TITLE: ATP Achievement Test in American History and Social Studies.
 AU INSTITUTIONAL AUTHOR: Educational Testing Service, Princeton, N.J.
 YR YEAR: 80.
 AV AVAILABILITY: Admission Testing Program; Educational Testing Service, Princeton, NJ 08541.
 GL GRADE LEVEL: 9; 10; 11; 12.
 NT NOTES:
 TIME: 60; approx.
 ITEMS: 100.
 AB ABSTRACT: Assesses knowledge of specific subject area. Designed as part of the Admissions Testing Program (ATP) administered by the College Board to high school juniors and seniors. Many colleges require the tests for admission and some use the results for placement. Test specifications are revised periodically. Topics include political institutions, principles, issues, developments and

leaders; economic principles and developments, geographical factors and influences; foreign policy and foreign relations; and social, cultural, and intellectual developments. Covers history from pre-Columbian times to the present with emphasis on post-1763.

AN ACCESSION NUMBER: TC002831 ETS 8410.
 TI TITLE: Advanced Placement Program: American History.
 AU INSTITUTIONAL AUTHOR: Educational Testing Service, Princeton, N.J.
 YR YEAR: 81.
 AV AVAILABILITY: Advanced Placement Program; Box 977 PD, Princeton, NJ 08541.
 GL GRADE LEVEL: 10; 11; 12.
 NT NOTES:
 TIME: 180.
 ITEMS: 83.
 AB ABSTRACT: Based on a college full-year introduction to United States history from colonial times to the present. First ninety minutes of exam are objective questions; the remainder of exam is for essay questions, one of which is a document based question. The number of test items will vary year to year. The Advanced Placement Program has been sponsored by the College Board since 1955.

AN ACCESSION NUMBER: TC002722 ETS 8410.
 TI TITLE: College-Level Examination Program: General Examination in Social Sciences and History.
 DT SUBTESTS: Social Sciences; History.
 AU INSTITUTIONAL AUTHOR: Educational Testing Service, Princeton, N.J.
 YR YEAR: 81.
 AV AVAILABILITY: College Level Examination Program; Princeton, NJ 08541.
 GL GRADE LEVEL: Higher Education.
 TG TARGET AUDIENCE: ADULTS.
 NT NOTES:
 TIME: 90.
 ITEMS: 125.
 AB ABSTRACT: CLEP enables both traditional and nontraditional students to earn college credit by examination. Measures knowledge of terminology and theories in a field, comprehension of meaning, ability to interpret or analyze graphic, pictorial or written material, and ability to select hypotheses and apply them to given data. Tests are updated periodically.

AN ACCESSION NUMBER: TC001090 ETS 8410.
 TI TITLE: Emporia American History Test.
 AU AUTHOR: Meares-Shirley; Sanders-Merritt-W.
 YR YEAR: 64.
 AV AVAILABILITY: Bureau of Educational Measurements; Emporia State University, 1200 Commercial, Emporia, KS 66801.
 GL GRADE LEVEL: 9; 10; 11; 12.

NT NOTES:

TIME: 40.

ITEMS: 135.

AB ABSTRACT: General survey test, designed to measure the achievement level of students in high school classes which cover the field in a one-year course. Includes historical events, concepts, vocabulary, and persons. Comes in four forms: Test I, Form A (135 Questions) and Test I, Form B (120 Questions) for the first semester; and Test II, Form A (130 questions) and Test II, Form B (135 questions) for the second semester.

AN ACCESSION NUMBER: TC001087 ETS 8410.

TI TITLE: Sare-Sanders Constitution Test.

AU AUTHOR: Sare-Harold-V; Sanders-Merritt-W.

YR YEAR: 64.

AV AVAILABILITY: Bureau of Educational Measurement; Emporia State University, 1200 Commercial, Emporia, KS 66801.

GL GRADE LEVEL: 9; 10; 11; 12; Higher Education.

NT NOTES:

TIME: 40.

ITEMS: 125.

AB ABSTRACT: Achievement test based primarily upon the U.S. Constitution itself and secondarily upon pertinent textbooks. Includes vocabulary, history, and application of the Constitution (e.g. Supreme Court decisions, etc.). Comes in two forms: Form A (125 questions) and Form B (120 questions). To be used with students who have completed one semester of study of the constitution; the authors feel that the test might also be used for first or second semester final examination in an elementary course which dealt mainly with the Constitution.

AN ACCESSION NUMBER: TC001082 ETS 8410.

TI TITLE: Meares-Sanders Junior High School History Test.

AU AUTHOR: Meares-Shirley; Sanders-Merritt-W.

YR YEAR: 64.

AV AVAILABILITY: Bureau of Educational Measurements, Emporia State University; 1200 Commercial, Emporia, KS 66801.

GL GRADE LEVEL: 7; 8.

NT NOTES:

TIME: 40.

ITEMS: 100.

AB ABSTRACT: Designed to measure knowledge of American history. Test IIA has 90 items. All other forms have 100 items each.

AN ACCESSION NUMBER: TC001081 ETS 8410.

TI TITLE: Hollingsworth-Sanders Intermediate History Test.

AU AUTHOR: Hollingsworth-Leon; Sanders-Merritt-W.

YR YEAR: 64.

AV AVAILABILITY: Bureau of Educational Measurements, Emporia State University; 1200 Commercial, Emporia, KS 66801.

GL GRADE LEVEL: 5; 6.

NT NOTES:

TIME: 30.

ITEMS: 55.

AB ABSTRACT: General survey test covering essential subject matter usually taught in elementary American history courses. Tests IA and B are designed for the end of one semester of study. Tests IIA and B are designed to be given after two semesters of study.

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